

Knights Only Torrance Victor



SOUTH HIGH lost to El Segundo last Saturday night but not without a fight as shown in the scene above. The Eagles used the long

gainer as their major weapon against the Spartan defense. —PRESS photo by Ken Johnson

Torrance, North Tie, South Loses

Bishop Montgomery High last Friday downed St. Genevieve 33 to 6 in their first game of the season.

The Knights led by coach Swade made two long drives of 70 and 85 yards for two touchdowns in the first period followed by five more before the final gun sounded.

The only touchdown by the St. Genevieve eleven was made in the third period when the Knights began to take it easy.

TORRANCE-REDONDO
Torrance High made the first tally in their game with Redondo Friday but the Sea-hawks soon returned the favor, and when the game ended both were still trying for another leaving the score at 6-6.

Both teams seemed to have their troubles hanging on to the ball as fumbles were the main action of the evening.

The one and only tally by the Tartars was by Jason Castillo who intercepted a Redondo pass and ran 45 yards to the goal.

NORTH-WARREN
Second tie game of the week went to North High and Warren at the Warren field.

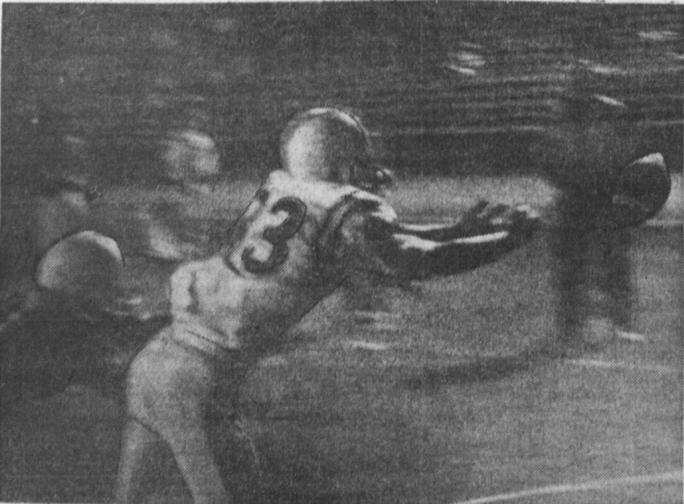
Doug Jackson made the only score for North in the first period when he plunged over the goal from the two yard line.

In the third quarter Warren managed to retaliate and make what turned out to be their only tally of the evening.

Last year the Saxons won the Bay League title.



TORRANCE HIGH graduate Stan Gonta again this year plays ball for the Southern California Trojans. An All-Pioneer League, All-CIF and All-America, Gonta joined the Trojan varsity squad in 1961 where last year he switched to right tackle. He earned his first varsity letter in last year's Rose Bowl game.



REACHING but not far enough is a South High player who attempts to latch on to a pass. South lost to El Segundo 26 to 20 in the first game

of the season on the new Torrance High field.

—PRESS photo by Ken Johnson

PRESS Sports

Curling Club To Open New Season

The Granite Curling Club of California will open the 1963-64 season at Olympic Ice Arena, 238th and Western, in Torrance on Sept. 30, with three sessions from 6 to 12 p.m. and continuing every Monday night for 28 weeks.

Membership forms are available at the Arena at all times.

For further information call DA 5-2151, DA 5-0532, EX 4397 or ME 4-3985.

Spartans Lose Opener To El Segundo, 26 to 20

By GLENN FISHER

Mike Battle hurled touchdowns of 50 and 85 yards to lead the El Segundo Eagles to a 26-20 victory over the South High Spartans.

The Eagles used the long gainer as their major weapon against the Spartan defense.

The first tally came early in the second quarter as Marc Smith realed off a 40-yard punt return to put the Eagles in front 7-0.

Only eight plays later the Eagles found themselves on their own 15 yard line. Battle fadded to throw on the third down; then flipped a screen pass over the charging linemen to Bob Wood who went down the side lines for an 85-yard touchdown. The extra point failed and it was 13-0.

South took the kickoff and drove 64 yards for a touchdown. Fullback Charlie Phillips set up the score with runs of 10, and 23 yards. Quarterback Bruce Sorenson tossed a nine yarder to Bob Weeks for the score and the halftime score was 13-6.

The Spartans took the second half kickoff and battled to the Eagle 15. Jerry Mann then cracked off tackle for the score. Greg Madden boot the extra point to tie the score 13-13.

Fullback Tim Mortesen ignited an Eagle drive, then

plunged over from the 1, to make the margin 19-13.

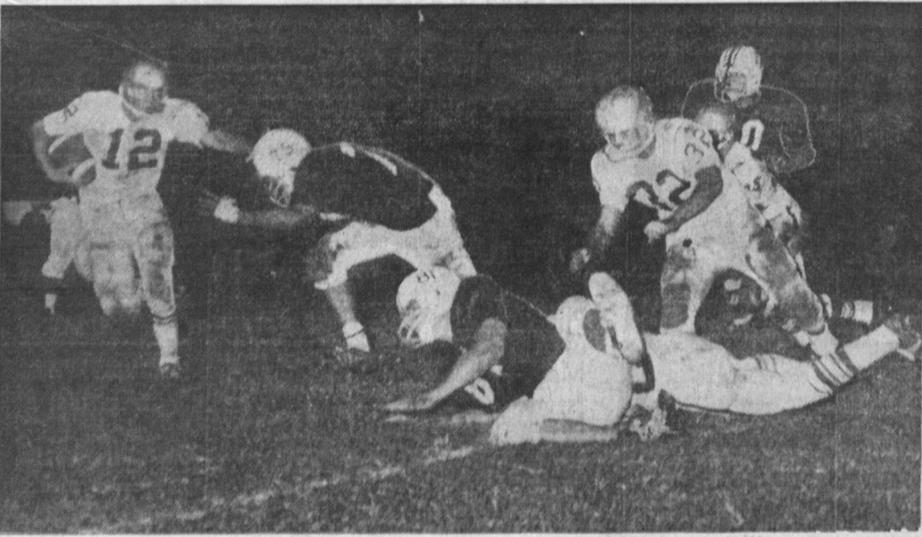
After halting a Spartan drive on the Eagle 10 yard line the Eagles scored as Mike Battle fired to Bill Slinger for a 50-yard touchdown. Mortesen scored the extra point and it was 26-13.

Sorenson revived the Spartans' hopes by completing three straight passes moving the Spartans to the Eagle one. Sorenson dove over from the one, and Madden converted to make it 26-20.

Fall Championship Race Set At Ascot

As fifty top drivers get ready for this Sunday nights 100-lap Figure 8 Stock Car racing Fall Championship Park, 183rd. St. at So. Vermont Ave., point leader Ben Steele of Gardena takes the role of favorite for the title event.

The evenings five event racing card will be topped by the 100 lap main event for the fastest thirty qualifiers of the night. Following the championship bout, a gigantic thirty car Destruction Derby will be held. Racing will begin at 8 p.m. with time trials slated for 7 p.m.



FAST ACTION is recorded in these two shots of Torrance High's 6-6 tie with the Sea Hawks of Redondo. Both teams fumbled away numerous opportunities in a game played at the Tartars' new stadium. Torrance lone score came on a 45-yard pass interception by safety-man Jason Castillo. —PRESS Photos by Bill Schell



Camino Rolls Over Alumni

Playing what most call a scrimmage and others term the year's "crucial," El Camino College rolled over its Alumni, 24-0, in what may be the Warriors most impressive debut in history.

Combining a strong running game with its big defensive forward wall, El Camino completely checked the Alumni attack, which had apparently suffered with the loss of quarterback Bobby Beathard and guard Dick Keelor.

Business commitments prevented Beathard, last year's player-of-the-game, while Keelor, former professional lineman with the Los Angeles Rams and Denver Broncos, missed the contest because of personal reasons.

With Beathard and Keelor participating in 1962, the Alumni captured a narrow 26-24 decision over the varsity squad which won seven and lost two, and was rated sixth in the nation.

The varsity ground attack, good for 157 yards in 36 carries, was complemented with an uncertain passing barrage which clicked five of six times.

Freshman scatback Daryl Wilson was the leading rusher with 62 yards in four carries, for an average of 15.5 yards per run. He broke loose on a nice 52-yard sprint to open the second half.

El Camino's four touchdowns, all via the ground route, were scored by Jim Reale, Pat Pagett, Dan Claxton and Paul Carmichael.

\$1,000.00 CASH TOP FUEL MEET SLATED AT LIONS STRIP

Drag Month at Lions Drag Strip will wind up a tremendous racing program this Saturday with a large \$1,000 cash top fuel meet. Total prize money, including the top gas and eliminator brackets will exceed \$2,000.

Sponsored by nine area Lions Clubs, Torrance Lions are represented on the board of directors by Newell D. Larson and Walter Keberlein. Larson and Keberlein released the names of Torrance contestants which included Jack Ewell, a fuel dragster driver who has run the quarter mile strip at 189.46 miles per hour in 8.13

seconds. Ewell built the '57 Chrysler engine that powers what is referred to a "rail" dragster.

Qualifying for the big meet to be held this Saturday, Sept. 28, starts at 1 p.m. with the eliminations at 6:30 p.m. The run for the \$1,000 cash between the final two fuel eliminators will take place at approximately 10:30 p.m. Lions Drag Strip is located right off the Long Beach and Santa Monica Freeways on 223rd Street between Santa Fe and Alameda.

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